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The 1956 Championships mark an important stage in the development of Kooyong. The completion of extensions to the west section of the stadium brings the seating accommodation up to 12,000, giving us one of the finest tennis viewing stadia in the world.

We are today all very proud of Kooyong, and it is a great pleasure to welcome the tennis loving public to our championships. We do hope that all who come will take the opportunity to look around and share with us our pride in this great tennis centre, which is so well known and highly regarded throughout the tennis playing world.

Our chief guests this year are Wimbledon and U.S. Women's Singles Champion, Shirley Fry, and her doughty opponent, Althea Gibson, and an English men's team—Billy Knight and Michael Davies, with their manager, Mr. W. H. Mellor, Vice-President of the L.T.A. The two boys are well known to us, and Michael Davies is undoubtedly a potential champion.

Tennis is Australia's major sport, and it must be clear to all that we are likely to remain on top for many years to come. This position has been reached because of a happy combination of many sections of the community, the tennis players, the administrators, the Press, the Radio, and now, the television, the sporting goods manufacturers and the public. Each has played its part, and to each we acknowledge our debt.

All our Australian top-ranking players will be present, and what a galaxy of talent this presents—Lew Hoad and Ken Rosewall—names well known throughout the world, and the many players coming up as a threat to their supremacy, Cooper, Fraser, Anderson, Emerson, and behind them again, a great array of juniors, capable, hardworking and delightful fellows.

R. N. Vroland,
President.

THE COVER

Our front cover shows the two foremost world players of 1956, Lewis Hoad and Ken Rosewall, receiving their trophies from the Duchess of Kent after the Wimbledon singles final last July. They also won the Wimbledon doubles championship.

Hoad and Rosewall, now both just 22 years, shared all the main events of the lawn tennis year. In addition to defeating Rosewall in the Australian and Wimbledon finals, Hoad won the singles championships of France and Italy. Rosewall defeated Hoad in the American final to prevent him from equalling the unique performance of Donald Budge in 1938 of winning the Australian, French, Wimbledon and American titles in the one year. Hoad holds the five doubles titles, the Australian, Wimbledon and American with Rosewall, and the French and Italian with Drobny.

Hoad is the present holder of the Victorian singles and he had previously won in 1953. Rosewall won in 1954.

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THE 1955 TEAM WHICH REGAINED THE DAVIS CUP

From left: L. A. Hoad, N. A. Fraser, H. C. Hopman, C.B.E. (Captain), R. N. Hartwig, K. R. Rosewall.

CHALLENGE ROUND.

Played at Forest Hills, N.Y., U.S.A., on 26th, 27th and 28th August, 1955, between the United States of America, the Holding Nation, and Australia, the Challenging Nation.

TEAMS.

AUSTRALIA—H. C. Hopman, C.B.E. (Captain), N. A. Fraser, R. N. Hartwig, L. A. Hoad, K. R. Rosewall.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—W. F. Talbert (Captain), H. Richardson, E. V. Seixas, G. Shea, M. A. Trabert.

RESULTS.

Australia beat United States of America five matches to nil.

SINGLES—K. R. Rosewall beat E. V. Seixas, 6-3, 10-8, 4-6, 6-2; beat H. Richardson, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1, 6-4.
L. A. Hoad beat M. A. Trabert, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3, 8-6; beat E. V. Seixas, 7-9, 6-1, 6-4, 6-4.

DOUBLES—L. A. Hoad and R. N. Hartwig beat M. A. Trabert and E. V. Seixas, 12-14, 6-4, 6-3, 3-6, 7-5.

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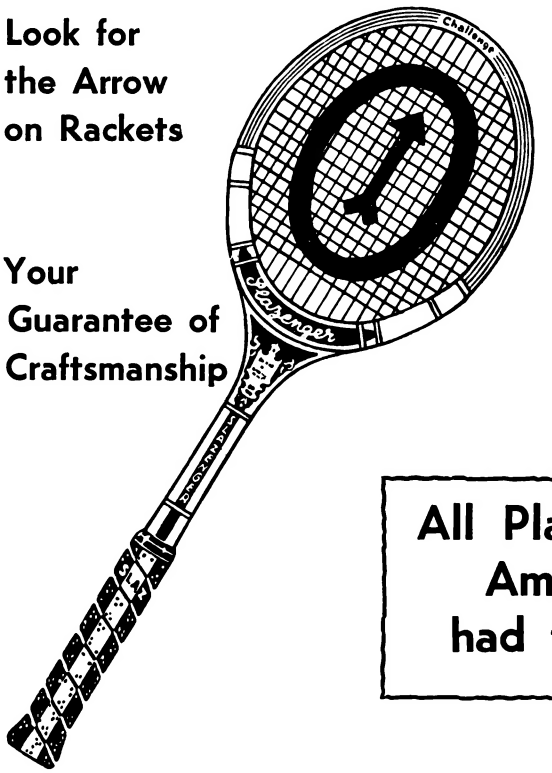

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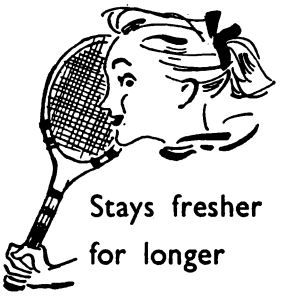

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MISS GIBSON
FIRST GREAT PLAYER OF HER RACE

No other woman player even went close to Althea Gibson's achievements in winning first-class tournaments this year.

At one stage she had won 13 out of 17 successive tournaments including the Italian and French championships, and by then, at the end of June, she appeared likely to end the year as top woman player in the world.

She seems likely to win that honour some day because her improvement in the past few years has been sound as well as spectacular.

Althea has achieved many distinctions in American tennis, but perhaps the one she is most proud of is that she was the first Negress to compete in the United States singles championship.

Although she is 29 years of age, she did not play her first tournament until 1943. Main reason is that opportunity to play tennis did not present itself until she had attracted attention through her skill at paddle tennis, the tennis-like game played on a smaller area and with smaller and wooden bats instead of rackets.

This has been her best year. Besides winning the French and Italian singles titles, she won the Wimbledon and French doubles championships (with Angela Buxton of England) and lost only to Shirley Fry at Wimbledon and again to Miss Fry in the final of the American championship.

She has off the court the lithe and athletic appearance we are accustomed to see in top Negro men athletes. Her playing style is mannish and aggressive although she can play delicate drop-volleys and drop-shots.

She is a wonderful ambassador for her race and country and it was no surprise when last year the U.S. State Department asked her to join a team which toured extensively overseas under its sponsorship.

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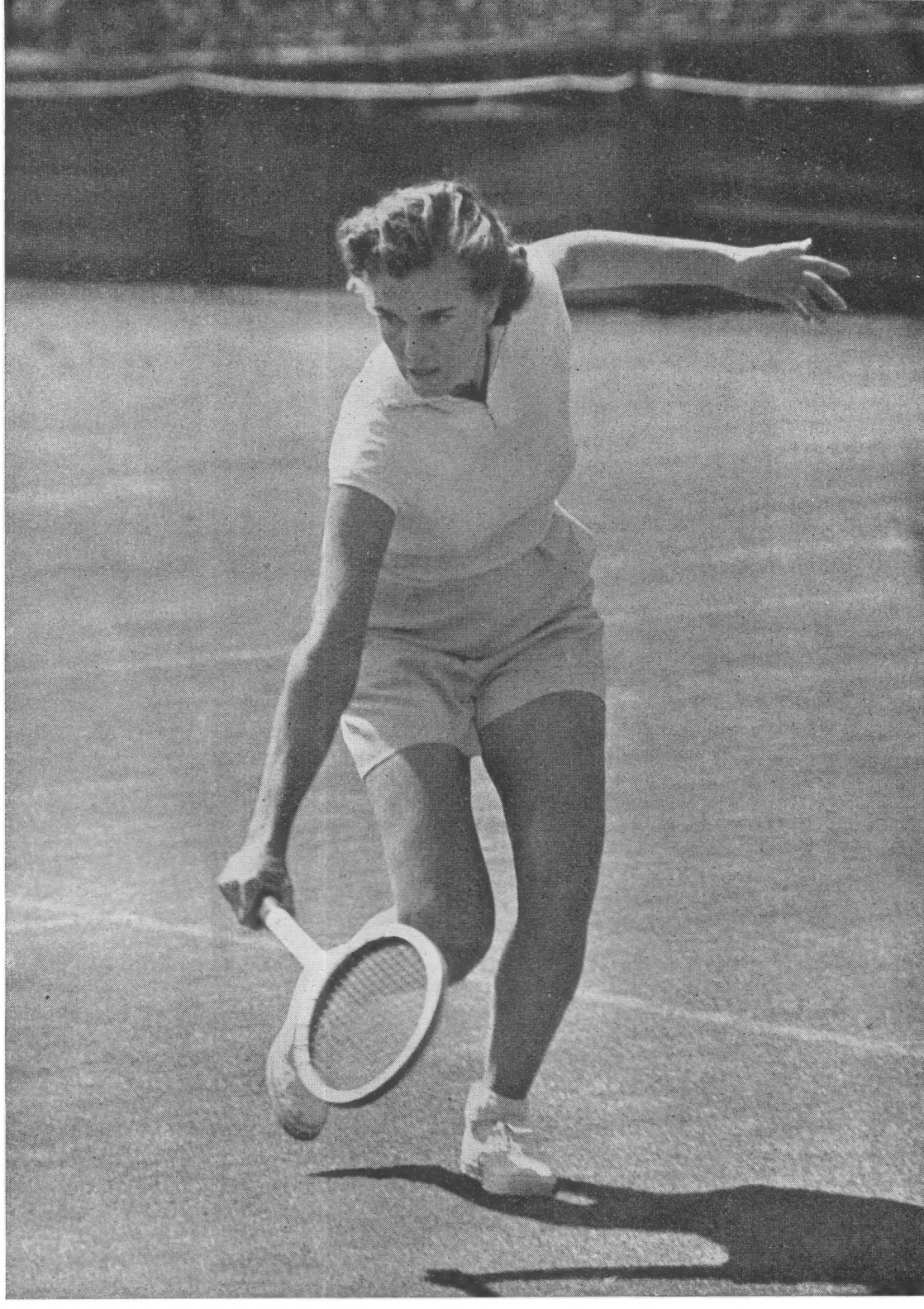


MISS FRY
IS WIMBLEDON AND AMERICAN CHAMPION

Shirley Fry made a comeback to international tennis to win the 1956 Wimbledon and United States women's singles championships.

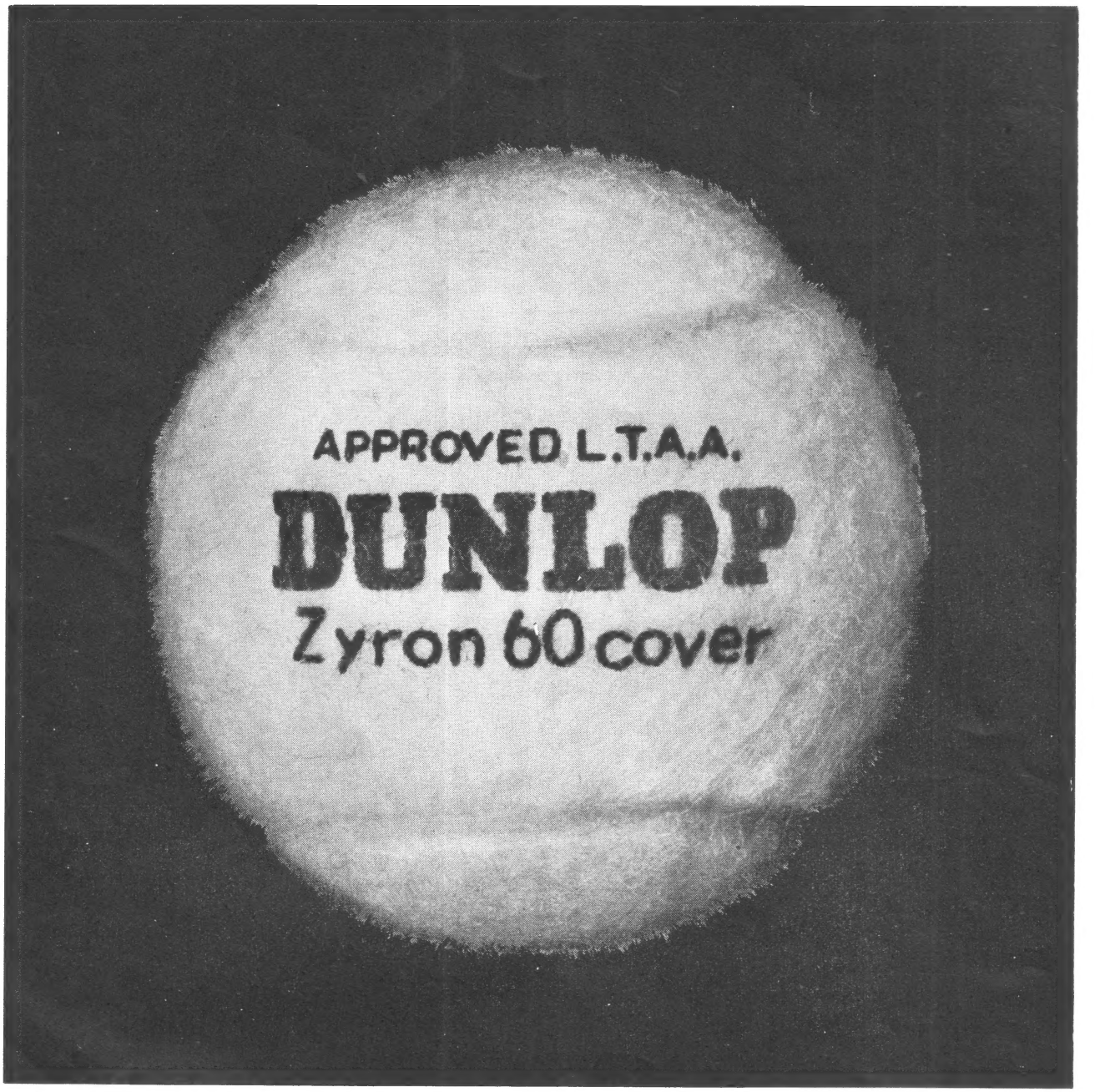
After a long career in top tennis with always players of such great quality as Pauline Betz, Louise Brough, Margaret Osborne du Pont, Maureen Connolly and Doris Hart just a little too good for her, she decided to retire last year.

Fortunately it was a very temporary retirement, and in her 29th year she has achieved her greatest success.

Born in Akron, Ohio, she began playing at eight years of age. She was American girls' champion and girls' doubles champion (with Doris Hart). Her close friendship with Doris continued through many successes including the Wimbledon doubles title in 1951-52-53, the United States doubles in 1951-52-53-54, and the French doubles in 1951-52-53.

Until this year her best singles performance was to win the French singles title in 1951. Maureen ("Little Mo") Connolly then came on the scene and won most of the major world women's singles titles until she retired from competitive play in late 1954.

Relying mainly on consistency and accuracy from the backcourt, Shirley also volleys splendidly. She has called upon her best volleying many times in doubles where she has followed her delivery to the net because it is the weakest part of her otherwise very sound game.



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PROGRAMME FOR TODAY

includes

NOTE:—The Committee, while adhering as closely as possible to the order of play given, are unable to guarantee that it will be maintained in its entirety.

GIRL'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—FINAL
Miss M. Rayson v. Miss E. Duldig

followed by

BOY'S DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP—FINAL
R. Laver-W. Jacques v. W. Reid-J. Pearce

followed by

WOMEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—FINAL
Miss S. Fry (U.S.A.) v. Miss A. Gibson (U.S.A.)

followed by

MEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—FINAL
K. Rosewall v. L. Hoad

followed by

MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP—FINAL

Event I.—MEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP OF VICTORIA

Holder. L. Hoad (N.S.W.)

First Prize valued at £10/10/-.
Second Prize valued at £5/5/-.
Winner of this event will have the right to have his name inscribed on the L.T.A.V. Championship Silver Bowl.

SEEDINGS.

1. L. Hoad (N.S.W.)
2. K. Rosewall (N.S.W.)
3. A. Cooper
4. N. Fraser
5. M. Anderson (Q.)
6. R. Emerson (Q.)
7. R. Howe (N.S.W.)
8. D. Candy (N.S.W.)

Foreign.

1. M. Davies (G.B.)
2. W. Knight (G.B.)
3. L. Gerard (N.Z.)

1. Bye 2. Bye	K. Rosewall (N.S.W.) A. J. Ryan	K. Rosewall. 6-2, 6-2, 6-2	K. Rosewall 8-6, 6-2, 6-2	K. Rosewall 6-2, 6-2, 6-4	K. Rosewall 7-5, 4-6, 9-7, 6-3	
3. Bye 4. K. Dixon 5. G. Kerr (S.A.)	B. Tobin G. Kerr, 8-6, 8-6, 6-4	B. Tobin 6-3, 6-4, 6-1				
6. Bye 7. R. J. Reid 8. W. Green	D. Candy (N.S.W.) W. Green, W/O.	D. Candy 3-6, 6-4, 6-2, 6-4	D. Candy 6-4, 6-4, 6-3			
9. R. Laver (Q.) 10. J. Mitchell	R. Laver, 6-3, 6-4, 6-3	R. Laver 6-2, 6-3, 6-4				
11. P. Frankland (N.S.W.) 12. L. Gerard (N.Z.)	P. Frankland 6-2, 7-5, 6-8, 6-1					
13. Bye 14. B. Gulley (N.S.W.) 15. T. Cawthorne	N. Fraser B. Gulley 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 6-4	N. Fraser, 6-3, 6-4, 9-7	N. Fraser 6-4, 6-4, 6-1	M. Anderson 6-3, 6-2, 7-5		
16. N. Gibson (N.S.W.) 17. G. Wilkinson	N. Gibson 2-6, 6-1, 6-3, 6-4	N. Gibson, 6-2, 6-2, 6-4				
18. G. Stewart 19. K. Fletcher (Q.)	G. Stewart, 6-0, 6-1, 6-2					
20. Bye 21. P. Newman (N.S.W.) 22. I. Dicker (S.A.)	M. Anderson (Q.) P. Newman, 4-6, 6-3, 6-1, 6-1	M. Anderson 6-2, 8-6, 6-2	M. Anderson 6-3, 6-4, 8-6			
23. B. Phillips Moore (S.A.) 24. C. Hallam	B. Phillips Moore 6-2, 8-6, 6-8, 6-2	Phillips Moore 6-2, 6-0, 6-3				
25. P. Hearnden 26. C. Mason	C. Mason, 7-9, 6-4, 8-6, 6-3					
27. W. Knight (G.B.) 28. J. Pearce (N.S.W.) 29. Bye	W. Knight 6-4, 6-2, 3-6, 6-2 R. Mark	R. Mark 9-7, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4	R. Emerson 5-7, 6-4, 6-2, 6-0	A. Cooper 6-3, 6-3, 4-6, 8-6	L. Hoad 6-4, 11-9, 6-4	
30. J. Moore (Q.) 31. D. Reid 32. Bye	D. Reid, 6-1, 6-0, 6-1 R. Emerson (Q.)	R. Emerson, 6-3, 9-7, 6-0				
33. R. Hickey 34. D. Yates	D. Yates, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4	D. Yates, 6-3, 6-2, 6-1	A. Cooper 6-2, 6-1, 6-4			
35. W. Reid 36.	W. Reid, W/O					
37. B. Connolly 38. M. Mulligan (N.S.W.) 39. Bye	M. Mulligan, 6-1, 6-1, 6-3 A. Cooper	A. Cooper, 6-4, 6-0. 6-2				
40. B. Kearney 41. G. Lovett (N.S.W.)	G. Lovett, 6-4, 6-4, 6-2	G. Lovett, 6-2, 6-1, 6-3	R. Howe 7-5, 6-2, 7-5	L. Hoad 6-2, 6-3, 6-4		
42. F. Gorman (Q.) 43.	F. Gorman, W/O					
44. A. Rae 45. W. Edwards (N.S.W.) 46. Bye	W. Edwards 1-6, 3-6, 6-2, 6-0, 6-2 R. Howe (N.S.W.)	R. Howe, 6-4, 6-4, 7-5				
47. A. Gubb 48. P. Seddon (N.S.W.) 49. Bye	A. Gubb, 6-2, 7-5, 6-2 W. Woodcock (N.S.W.)	W. Woodcock 6-0, 6-1, 6-0	L. Hoad 6-3, 7-5, 6-2			
50. Bye 51. Bye	N. Nette L. Hoad (N.S.W.)	L. Hoad, 6-0, 6-1, 6-0				

The Matches will be the best of Five Advantage Sets

Event II.—MEN'S DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP OF VICTORIA

Two First Prizes valued at £5/5/- each.
Two Second Prizes valued at £2/12/6 each.

Holders: K. Rosewall (N.S.W.)-L. Hoad (N.S.W.)

SEEDINGS.
1. K. Rosewall-L. Hoad (N.S.W.)
2. N. Fraser (Vic.)-M. Anderson (Q.)
3. A. Cooper (Vic.)-R. Emerson (Q.)
4. D. Candy (N.S.W.)-R. Howe (N.S.W.)

1. Bye 2. Bye	N. Fraser (Vic.)-M. Anderson (Q.) B. Gulley-P.Frankland (N.S.W.)	Fraser-Anderson 6-4, 6-2, 7-5	Fraser-Anderson 6-2, 6-4, 8-6	Fraser-Anderson 8-6, 8-10, 6-2, 3-6, 6-3	N. Fraser-M. Anderson 7-5, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3
3. Bye 4. Bye	A. Gubb-C. Mason W. Knight (G.B.)-J. Bromwich (Vic.)	Knight-Bromwich 6-0, 7-5, 3-6, 6-3			
5. Bye 6. Bye	D. Candy-R. Howe (N.S.W.) B. Phillips-Moore (S.A.)-R. Mark (Vic.)	Candy-Howe 6-2, 1-6, 8-6, 6-4	Candy-Howe 9-7, 10-8, 6-3		
7. Bye 8. T. S. Pye-J. R. Mitchell 9. P. Hearnden (Vic.)-W. Edwards (N.S.W.)	W. Knight-M. Davies (G.B.) T. S. Pye-J. R. Mitchell 2-6, 6-4, 6-1, 3-6, 6-4	Pye-Mitchell W/O			
10. G. Lovett (N.S.W.)-P. Newman (N.S.W.) 11. D. Yates-W. D. Green 12. Bye	D. Yates-W. D. Green 8-6, 6-2, 6-3 P. Newman (N.S.W.)- B. Bowman (S.A.)	Yates-Green W/O	Cooper-Emerson 6-1, 7-5, 6-2	Hoad-Rosewall 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.	
13. Bye 14. Bye	N. Nette-G. Stewart A. Cooper (Vic.)-R. Emerson (Q.)	Cooper-Emerson 6-2, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3			
15. Bye 16. Bye	A. J. Ryan-B. Tobin N. Gibson-W. Woodcok (N.S.W.)	Gibson-Woodcock 9-7, 6-3, 1-6, 6-1	Hoad-Rosewall 9-7, 7-5, 9-7		
17. Bye 18. Bye	A. K. Rae-D. H. Reid L. Hoad-K. Rosewall (N.S.W.)	Hoad-Rosewall 3-6, 6-0, 6-1, 6-2			

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Event III.—WOMEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP OF VICTORIA

Holder: Mrs. M. Hawton (N.S.W.)

The winner of this event shall receive a trophy valued at £6/6/- and, in addition, will have the right to have her name inscribed on the William J. Daish Memorial Bowl. Second Prize valued at £3/3/-.

SEEDINGS.
1. M. Carter (N.S.W.)
2. B. Penrose (N.S.W.)
3. M. Hellyer (N.S.W.)
4. L. Coghlan
5. J. Hoad (N.S.W.)
6. F. Muller (Q.)
7. M. Hawton (N.S.W.)
8. E. Duldig

Foreign.
1. S. Fry (U.S.A.)
2. A. Gibson (U.S.A.)
3. R. Bentley (G.B.)

1. Bye 2. Bye	Miss M. Carter (N.S.W.) Miss J. Strachan (S.A.)	M. Carter 6-3, 6-1	M. Carter 6-1, 6-2	M. Carter 6-0, 6-1	S. Fry 6-2, 6-1	
3. Bye 4. Bye	Miss D. Harker Miss D. Blackburn	D. Blackburn 6-4, 6-4				
5. Bye 6. Bye	Miss F. Muller (Q.) Mrs. P. Joubert	F. Muller 6-4, 6-3	F. Muller 6-3, 6-4			
7. Bye 8. Bye	Miss M. Gibson Mrs. L. Southam	L. Southam 6-3, 6-0				
9. Bye 10. Bye	Miss L. Coghlan Miss B. Jones (N.S.W.)	L. Coghlan 6-4, 6-4	L. Coghlan 4-6, 8-6, 6-1	S. Fry 6-1, 6-2		
11. Bye 12. Bye	Miss R. Bentley (G.B.) Miss M. Carter (Vic.	R. Bentley 6-4, 6-2				
13. Mrs. M. Hawton (N.S.W.) 14. Miss V. Roberts	Mrs. M. Hawton 6-2, 6-1	M. Hawton, 6-1, 9-7	S. Fry 6-0, 6-1			
15. Miss M. Ferguson (N.S.W.) 16. Miss M. Wallis	Miss M. Ferguson 6-4, 6-1					
17. Miss P. Radford 18.	Miss P. Radford, W/O	S. Fry, 6-1, 6-1				
19. Mrs. D. Young 20. Miss S. Fry (U.S.A.)	Miss S. Fry 6-3, 6-3					
21. Miss A. Gibson (U.S.A.) 22. Miss V. Huxtable	Miss A. Gibson 6-1, 6-1	Miss A. Gibson, 6-1, 6-1	A. Gibson 6-1, 6-2	A. Gibson 6-3, 6-3	A. Gibson 6-2, 6-3	
23. Miss M. Fenton (N.S.W.) 24. Mrs. M. Harrison	Miss M. Fenton 7-5, 8-10, 6-4					
25. Mrs. H. Hopman 26. Miss M. McCalman	Miss M. McCalman 6-2, 2-6, 6-3	B. Rae 6-0, 3-6, 7-5				
27. Mrs. B. Rae 28. Miss E. Duldig	Mrs. B. Rae 6-0, 6-3					
29. Bye 30. Bye	Miss J. Tegart Miss J. Donoghue	J. Donoghue 5-7, 6-0, 6-3	J. Hoad 6-2, 6-4			
31. Bye 32. Bye	Miss J. Leonard (N.S.W.) Mrs. J. Hoad (N.S.W.)	J. Hoad, 6-1, 6-3				
33. Bye 34. Bye	Miss J. Langley (W.A.) Miss M. Rayson	M. Rayson, 8-6, 6-1	M. Hellyer 6-2, 6-4	P. Parmenter 6-4, 7-5		
35. Bye 36. Bye	Miss P. Levy Miss M. Hellyer (N.S.W.)	M. Hellyer, 6-0, 6-1				
37. Bye 38. Bye	Miss G. O'Brien Miss B. Orton	B. Orton, 6-2, 6-3	P. Parmenter 6-3, 6-1			
39. Bye 40. Bye	Miss P. Parmenter (N.S.W.)	P. Parmenter W/O				

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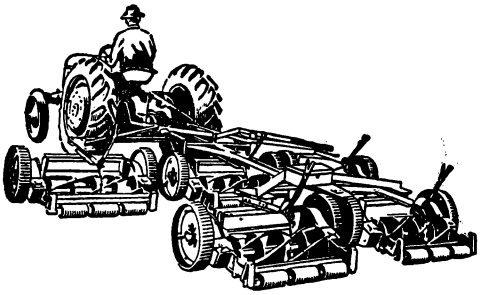

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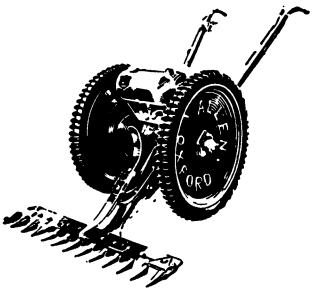

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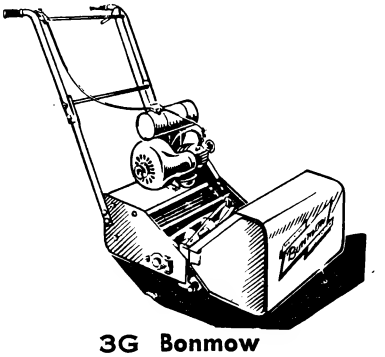

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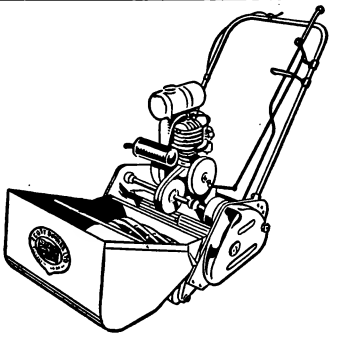

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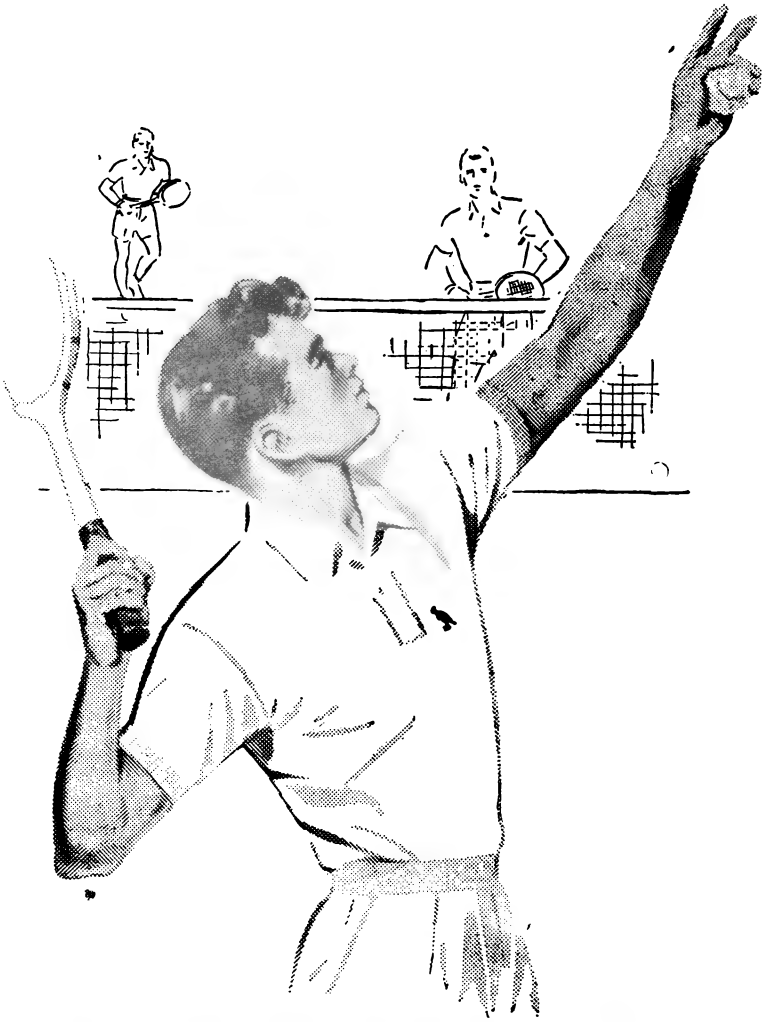

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A little over a century has passed since Australian Aborigines used the site of the Lawn Tennis Association of Victoria as a happy hunting ground and called it "Kooyong", which, translated, means "The Haunt of the Wild Fowl".

It is hard to link present day Kooyong with the swampy valley of Gardiner Creek to which the Association moved in 1922 from the Albert Ground, St. Kilda Road. In 34 years, "The Haunt of the Wild Fowl" has been transformed into one of the world's smartest and most distinctive tennis headquarters and one of the show places of Melbourne. The initial portion of the stadium, seating 4,500 was opened in January, 1927. The stadium today with additions just completed provides permanent seating accommodation for 12,000 spectators.

Kooyong has achieved a high reputation with international tennis players. While the stands resemble Forest Hills in New York, having the same horseshoe shape, Kooyong, like Wimbledom, has its own highly intimate character.

Firstly, it is situated in one of the most beautiful parts of Melbourne and is surrounded by the wealth of trees and homes of Toorak, the classical buildings and many playing fields of Scotch College and the wide open grass reservations of Gardiner Creek to the east.

Secondly, Kooyong is wonderfully intimate. The Stadium is compactly designed and even with 18,000 people at the 1953 Challenge Round, the temporary stands were not as high nor as far away from the centre court itself as the rear seats of most of the main world tennis stadiums.

Thirdly, Kooyong is always distinguished for the good behaviour of its galleries. They are mostly tennis players and they have a deep in-

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Aerial View, Kooyong.

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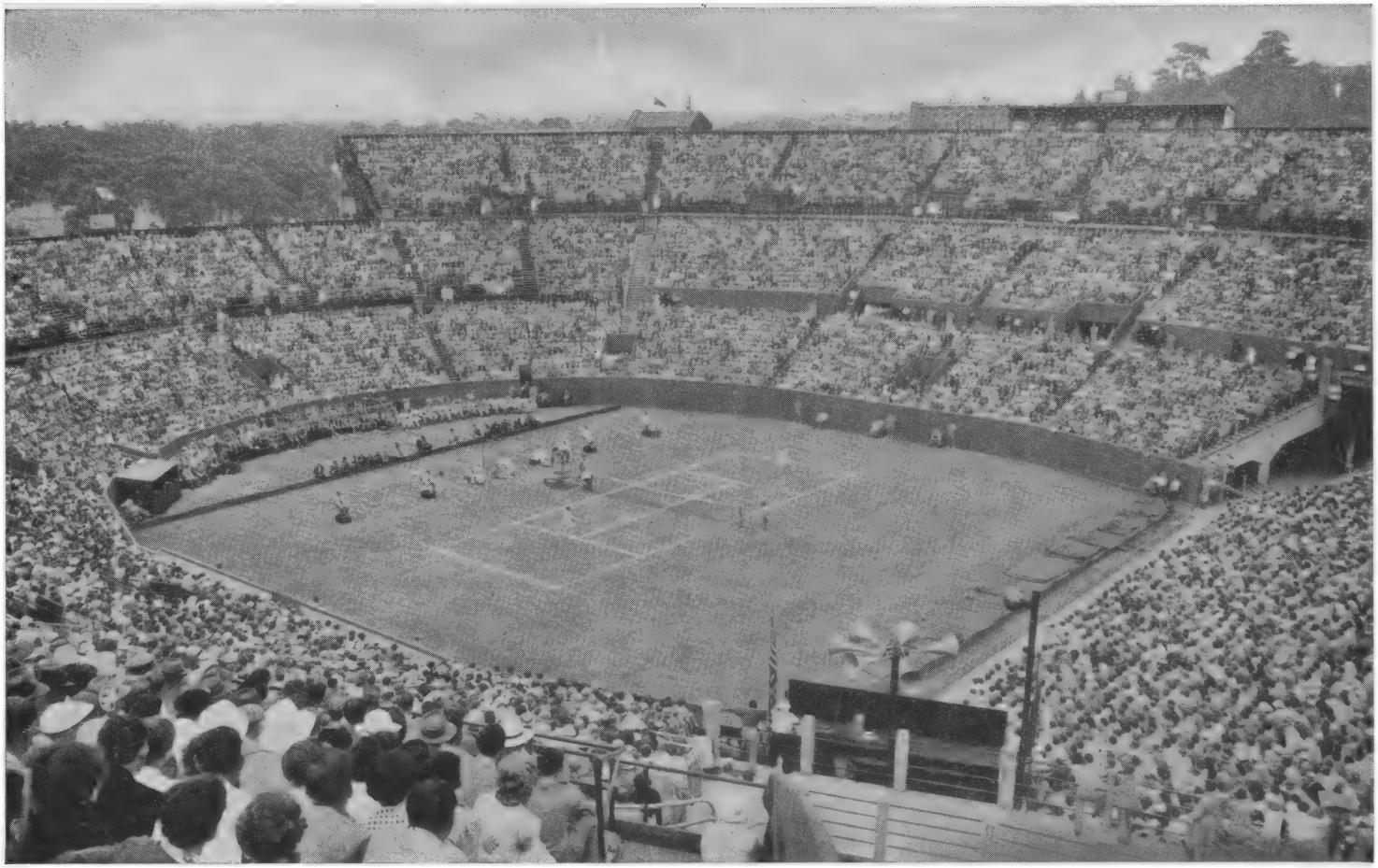

KOOYONG — DAVIS CUP CHALLENGE ROUND, 1953

KOOYONG is one of the great tennis grounds — *(Continued from page 13)*

terest in the game and a profound perception of its finer points.

Kooyong has been the scene of many stirring matches. There was the dramatic Australian championship final between Gerald Patterson and Jack Hawkes in 1927—the first championship on the centre court—which Patterson won after 3½ hours and 71 games, winning 3-6, 6-4, 3-6, 18-16, 6-3, after Hawkes had held five match points. Other great matches which enthusiasts will recall were the spectacular victory of Vivian McGrath, not then 17, over world champion Ellsworth Vines, in the 1933 Australian championships; the Perry-Crawford duels of the 1933 Victorian and 1935 Australian singles finals; the Budge-von Cramm thriller in an international match in 1938; the Schroeder-Bromwich Davis Cup five-setter of 1946; and the Rosewall victory over Seixas in the 1953 Australian semi-finals, with Rosewall, then just 18, going on to win the title. The 18,000 spectators will recall the 1953 Davis Cup Challenge Round between U.S.A. represented by T. Trabert and V. Seixas and Australia represented by L. Hoad, K. Rosewall, R. Hartwig, which must go down as one of the closest, most tense and exciting yet played. All will remember the magnificent performance of the 19 year old Lewis Hoad in downing the seasoned American champion, Tony Trabert.

Those who planned Kooyong anticipated some of the great popularity which tennis was to attract. But progress has been so great, that in 1953, L.T.A.V. spent £45,000 on permanent additions to the Stadium and £15,000 on the Clubhouse, followed by another £50,000 in recent months to bring it to its present gallery capacity.

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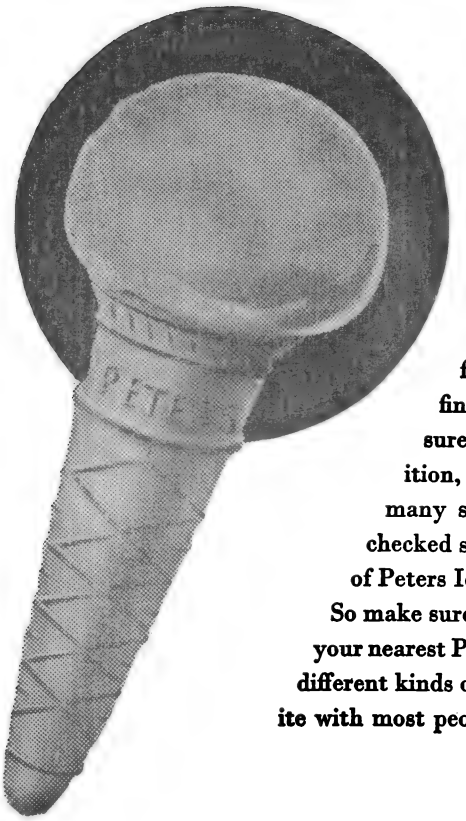

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Holders: Misses B. Penrose-M. Carter (N.S.W.)

SEEDINGS.

1. Misses S. Fry-A. Gibson (U.S.A.)
2. Misses L. Coghlan (V.)-M. Hellyer (N.S.W.)
3. Mrs. K. Hawton (N.S.W.)-Miss F. Muller (Q.)
4. Misses M. Carter-J. Lehane (N.S.W.)

1. Misses L. Coghlan (V.)-M. Hellyer (N.S.W.) 2. Misses J. Donoghue-J. Tegart	Misses L. Coghlan-M. Hellyer 6-3, 6-2	Coghlan-Hellyer 6-4, 6-3	K. Hawton-F. Muller 6-1, 1-6, 10-8	A. Gibson-S. Fry 10-8, 6-0	
3. Mrs. A. Baker (Tas.)-Miss R. Bentley (G.B.) 4. Mrs. H. Hopman (V.)-Miss J. Langley (W.A.)	A. Baker-R. Bentley 7-9, 6-1, 6-1				
5. Mrs. J. Hoad (N.S.W.)-Mrs. L. Southam (V.) 6. Miss J. Leonard (N.S.W.)-Mrs. C. Webb	J. Hoad-L. Southam 6-2- 6-4	K. Hawton-F. Muller 6-4, 9-7			
7. Mrs. P. Joubert-Miss Margaret Carter 8. Mrs. K. Hawton (N.S.W.)-Miss F. Muller (Q.)	K. Hawton-F. Muller, 7-5, 6-2				
9. Misses M. Carter- J. Lehane (N.S.W.) 10. Mrs. E. Robertson-Mrs. S. Johnson	M. Carter-J. Lehane 7-5, 4-6, 6-4	Parmenter-Jones 6-8, 6-2, 9-7	A. Gibson-S. Fry 6-1, 6-0		
11. Misses P. Parmenter-B. Jones (N.S.W.) 12. Mrs. B. Rich-Mrs. M. Mitchell	P. Parmenter-B. Jones 6-3, 7-5				
13. Misses E. Orton-M. McCalman 14. Mrs. B. Rae-Mrs. D. Young	Misses E. Orton-M. McCalman 4-6, 6-4, 6-3	A. Gibson-S. Fry 6-4, 6-3			
15. Misses M. Gibson-M. Wallis 16. Misses A. Gibson-S. Fry (U.S.A.)	Misses A. Gibson-S. Fry 6-0, 6-1				

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Event V.—MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP OF VICTORIA

Two First Prizes valued at £4/4/- each.
Two Second Prizes valued at £2/2/- each.

Holders:
N. Fraser (Vic.)-Miss B. Penrose (N.S.W.)

SEEDINGS.

1. N. Fraser (Vic.)-Miss A. Gibson (U.S.A.)
2. R. Howe (N.S.W.)-Miss S. Fry (U.S.A.)
3. R. Mark (Vic.)-Miss L. Coghlan (Vic.)
4. G. Lovett-Miss M. Carter (N.S.W.)

1. Bye 2. Bye	N. Fraser (Vic.)-Miss A. Gibson (U.S.A.) D. Pitts-Mrs. B. Rich	Fraser-Gibson 6-2, 6-4	Fraser-Gibson 6-1, 9-11, 6-2		
3. Bye 4. Bye	B. Tobin (Vic.)-Mrs. Hoad (N.S.W.) P. Frankland (N.S.W.)-Miss D. Harker (Vic.)	Tobin-Hoad 6-3, 6-2			
5. Bye 6. Bye	G. Lovett-Miss M. Carter (N.S.W.) R. Emerson (Q.)-Miss J. Donoghue (Vic.)	Lovett-M. Carter 6-1, 9-7	Lovett-Carter 2-6, 6-3, 6-4		
7. W. Knight (G.B.)-Miss M. Hellyer (N.S.W.) 8. B. Gulley (N.S.W.)-Mrs. P. Joubert (Vic.)	W. Knight-Miss M. Hellyer 6-2, 6-3	Knight-Hellyer 6-2, 6-2			
9. P. Newman (N.S.W.)-Miss D. Laurens (Vic.) 10. P. Hearnden (Vic.)-Mrs. C. Watt	P. Hearnden-Mrs. C. Watt 6-1, 6-0				
11. W. Edwards (NSW)-Mrs. A. Baker (Tas) 12. L. J. K. Woods-Mrs. L. J. K. Woods (Vic.)	W. Edwards-Mrs. A. Baker 6-4, 6-4	Anderson-Muller 6-3, 6-2	Anderson-Muller 9-7, 10-8	Anderson-Muller 6-4, 4-6, 9-7,	
13. G. Wilkinson-Miss E. Orton 14. M. Anderson-Miss F. Muller (Q.)	M. Anderson-Miss F. Muller 6-3, 6-1				
15. Bye 16. Bye	N. Gibson-Miss P. Parmenter (N.S.W.) R. Mark-Miss L. Coghlan (Vic.)	Mark-Coghlan 6-2, 6-4			
17. Bye 18. Bye	A. J. Ryan (Vic.)-Miss R. Bentley (G.B.) W. Woodcock (N.S.W.)-Mrs. H. Hopman (Vic.)	Ryan-Bentley 4-6, 8-6, 6-1	Howe-Fry 6-3, 6-3		
19. Bye 20. Bye	B. Phillips-Moore (S.A.)-Mrs. L. Southam (Vic.) R. Howe (N.S.W.)-Miss S. Fry (U.S.A.)	Howe-Fry 6-2, 7-5			

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Event VI.—BOYS' SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP OF VICTORIA (Under 19 Years)

Holder: R. Mark

First Prize—One silver cup and honorary membership of the L.T.A.V. for one year, subject to the approval of the Council.
Second Prize—Trophy.

SEEDINGS.

1. R. Laver (Q.)
2. W. Jacques (N.S.W.)
3. L. Gerard (N.Z.)
4. W. Reid
5. R. Wong (N.Z.)
6. K. Pearce (N.S.W.)
7. M. Mulligan (N.S.W.)
8. J. Fletcher (Q.)

1. Bye	R. Laver (Q.)	R. Laver 6-0, 6-0	R. Laver 6-1, 6-3	R. Laver 6-3, 3-6, 6-2	R. Laver 6-3, 2-6, 6-1
2. Bye	B. J. Williams				
3. Bye	I. Craig	K. Goodland 6-1, 6-3			
4. Bye	K. Goodland				
5. Bye	J. Pearce (N.S.W.)	J. Pearce 6-1, 6-1	J. Pearce 3-6, 6-3, 6-3		
6. Bye	E. M. Williams				
7. Bye	J. Moore (Q.)	G. Kerr 7-5, 2-6, 6-3			
8. Bye	G. Kerr (S.A.)				
9. Bye	L. Gerard (N.Z.)	L. Gerard 7-5, 6-0	L. Gerard 7-5, 6-3	L. Gerard 7-5, 6-1	
10. Bye	C. W. Stubs				
11. Bye	K. M. Kilduff	J. Hillebrand 7-5, 6-2			
12. Bye	J. Hillebrand				
13. M. Mulligan (N.S.W.)	M. Mulligan 6-4, 1-6, 6-4	M. Mulligan 6-1, 6-1	M. Mulligan 6-4, 6-4		
14. J. Stephens					
15. J. N. Coleman	J. N. Coleman 6-4, 6-4				
16. G. Whittaker					
17. R. Hickey	R. Hickey, 6-0, 6-4	R. Hickey 6-4, 5-7, 6-2			
18. B. Young					
19. A. B. Rodda	A. T. Wigg 6-4, 10-8				
20. A. T. Wigg					
21. R. Langdon	R. Langdon 6-1, 6-2	J. Sharpe 6-4, 6-4	J. Sharpe 4-6, 7-5, 6-4	W. Reid 6-8, 7-5, 6-2	W. Jacques 6-4, 3-6, 6-2
22. R. Field					
23. J. Sharpe	J. Sharpe 6-4, 6-1				
24. T. K. Leydin					
25. R. Neville-Smith	N. A. Grills 6-3, 6-0	K. Fletcher 7-5, 6-3			
26. N. A. Grills					
27. R. Spargo	K. Fletcher 6-0, 6-2				
28. K. Fletcher (Q.)					
29. F. Gorman (Q.)	B. Casey 6-3, 6-3	B. Casey 6-3, 5-6, 6-2	W. Reid 6-1, 6-4		
30. B. Casey					
31. Bye	A. W. Cockram				
32. Bye	G. Jones	W. Reid 6-4, 6-4			
33. Bye	W. Reid				
34. Bye	I. Dicker (S.A.)	I. Dicker, 6-0, 6-1	R. Wong 6-8, 6-4, 10-8	W. Jacques 6-4. 8-6	
35. Bye	R. Johnson				
36. Bye	P. Seddon (N.S.W.)	R. Wong, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1			
37. Bye	R. Wong (N.Z.)				
38. Bye	P. M. Hyland	W. McConnell 5-7, 11-9, 6-3	W. Jacques, 6-2, 6-1		
39. Bye	W. R. McConnell				
40. Bye	D. J. C. Porter	W. Jacques 6-1, 6-1			
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Holders: R. Mark-P. Hearnden

Two First Prizes—Two silver cups and honorary membership of the L.T.A.V. for one year, subject to the approval of the Council.
Two Second Prizes—Trophies.

(Under 19 Years)

SEEDINGS.

1. R. Laver (Q.)-W. Jacques (N.S.W.)
2. W. Reid (V.)-J. Pearce (N.S.W.)
3. R. Hickey (V.)-L. Gerard (N.Z.)
4. G. Kerr-I. Dicker (S.A.)

1. Bye	R. Laver (Q.)-W. Jacques (N.S.W.)	R. Laver-W. Jacques 6-4, 6-1	R. Laver-W. Jacques 6-4, 6-4	
2. N. Grills-J. Sharpe 3. R. Neville-Smith-Partner	N. Grills-J. Sharpe W/O			
4. R. Wong (N.Z.)-R. Langdon 5. B. Young-B. Casey	B. Young-B. Casey 6-3, 7-5, 6-2	G. Kerr-I. Dicker 6-4, 6-2		
6. J. Moore (Q.)-C. Stubs 7. G. Kerr-I. Dicker (S.A.)	G. Kerr-I. Dicker (S.A.) 6-1, 6-4			
8. Bye	W. Reid (V.)-J. Pearce (N.S.W.)	W. Reid-J. Pearce 7-5, 6-4	W. Reid-J. Pearce 6-2, 6-2	
9. E. Johnson-A. T. Wigg 10. W. R. Connell-G. Osborn	W. R. Connell-G. Osborn 6-1, 6-0			
11. M. Mulligan (N.S.W.)-K. Fletcher (Q.) 12. F. Gorman (Q.)-P. Seddon (N.S.W.)	M. Mulligan-K. Fletcher 4-6, 6-3, 6-3	M. Mulligan-K. Fletcher 7-5, 6-4		
13. T. K. Leydin-G. B. Jones 14. R. Hickey (V.)-L. Gerard (N.Z.)	R. Hickey-L. Gerard 6-2, 6-2			

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Event VIII.—GIRLS' SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP OF VICTORIA

Holder: Miss M. Hellyer (N.S.W.)

First Prize—A silver cup and honorary membership of the L.T.A.V. for one year, subject to the approval of the Council.
Second Prize—Trophy.

(Under 19 Years)

SEEDINGS.

1. J. Lehane (N.S.W.)
2. E. Duldig
3. B. Jones (N.S.W.)
4. M. Fenton (N.S.W.)
5. M. Rayson
6. J. Strachan
7. V. Roberts
8. M. Ferguson (N.S.W.)

1. Bye 2. Bye	J. Lehane (N.S.W.) B. W. Chapple	J. Lehane 6-0, 6-0	J. Lehane 6-2, 6-0		
3. Bye 4. Bye	C. Millie J. Howe	C. Millie 6-4, 6-3		J. Lehane 7-5, 6-1	
5. Bye 6. Bye	V. Roberts S. Shipton	V. Roberts 6-0, 6-0	V. Roberts 8-6, 6-1		
7. Bye 8. Bye	L. MacPherson J. M. Barnes	L. MacPherson W/O			M. Rayson 6-2, 6-3
9. Bye 10. Bye	M. Fenton (N.S.W.) J. Garran	M. Fenton 6-0, 6-0	D. Blackburn 6-4, 1-6, 6-4		
11. Bye 12. Bye	D. Blackburn M. Dickins	D. Blackburn 6-2, 6-4		M. Rayson 3-6, 6-4, 6-3	
13. Bye 14. Bye	M. Rayson M. T. Heaphy	M. Rayson 6-3, 6-2	M. Rayson 6-1, 9-7		
15. Bye 16. O. Nelms 17. M. Miller (N.S.W.)	H. McLardy W/O	O. Nelms 6-0, 6-1			
18. Bye 19. Bye	L. Berman D. Laurens	D. Laurens 6-1, 6-3	J. Strachan 6-3, 6-1		
20. Bye 21. Bye	P. Tompkins J. Strachan (S.A.)	J. Strachan 6-0, 6-0		B. Jones 6-2, 6-1	
22. Bye 23. Bye	M. Royle P. Jennings	P. Jennings 6-3, 6-1	B. Jones 6-0, 6-1		
24. Bye 25. Bye	G. O'Brien B. Jones (N.S.W.)	B. Jones 6-3, 6-3			E. Duldig 3-6, 6-2, 9-7
26. Bye 27. Bye	P. Levy M. McRae	P. Levy 6-1, 6-0	M. Ferguson 6-3, 6-3		
28. Bye 29. Bye	M. Jackson M. Ferguson (N.S.W.)	M. Ferguson 6-3, 6-3		E. Duldig 6-2, 6-2	
30. Bye 31. Bye	J. Twitt R. Lesh	R. Lesh 5-7, 6-1, 6-2	E. Duldig 6-1, 6-3		
32. Bye 33. Bye	L. Rockman E. Duldig	E. Duldig W/O			

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Event IX.—GIRLS' DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP OF VICTORIA

Holders: Misses B. Jones-P. Parmenter (N.S.W.)

First Prize—Two silver cups and honorary membership of the L.T.A.V. for one year, subject to the approval of the Council.
Second Prize—Trophy.

(Under 19 Years)

SEEDINGS.

1. V. Roberts-M. Rayson
2. M. Ferguson-J. Lehane
3. E. Duldig-E. Court
4. J. Strachan-D. Laurens

1. Bye 2. Bye	V. Roberts-M. Rayson R. Lesh (Vic.)-M. Fenton (N.S.W.)	Roberts-Rayson 4-6, 6-4, 6-3	Roberts-Rayson 8-6, 6-3	
3. Bye 4. Bye	J. Strachan (S.A.)-D. Laurens (Vic.) M. Miller (N.S.W.)-J. Twitt (Vic.)	Strachan-Laurens 7-5, 6-0		Roberts-Rayson 4-6, 7-5, 6-2
5. G. O'Brien-S. Shipton 6. P. Levy-D. Blackburn	P. Levy-D. Blackburn 6-3, 6-4	E. Duldig-E. Court 6-2, 6-1	Duldig-Court 6-3, 6-4	
7. Bye	E. Duldig-E. Court			
8. Bye 9. Bye	M. Jackson-M. Dickins M. Ferguson-J. Lehane (N.S.W.)	Ferguson-Lehane 6-2, 6-1		

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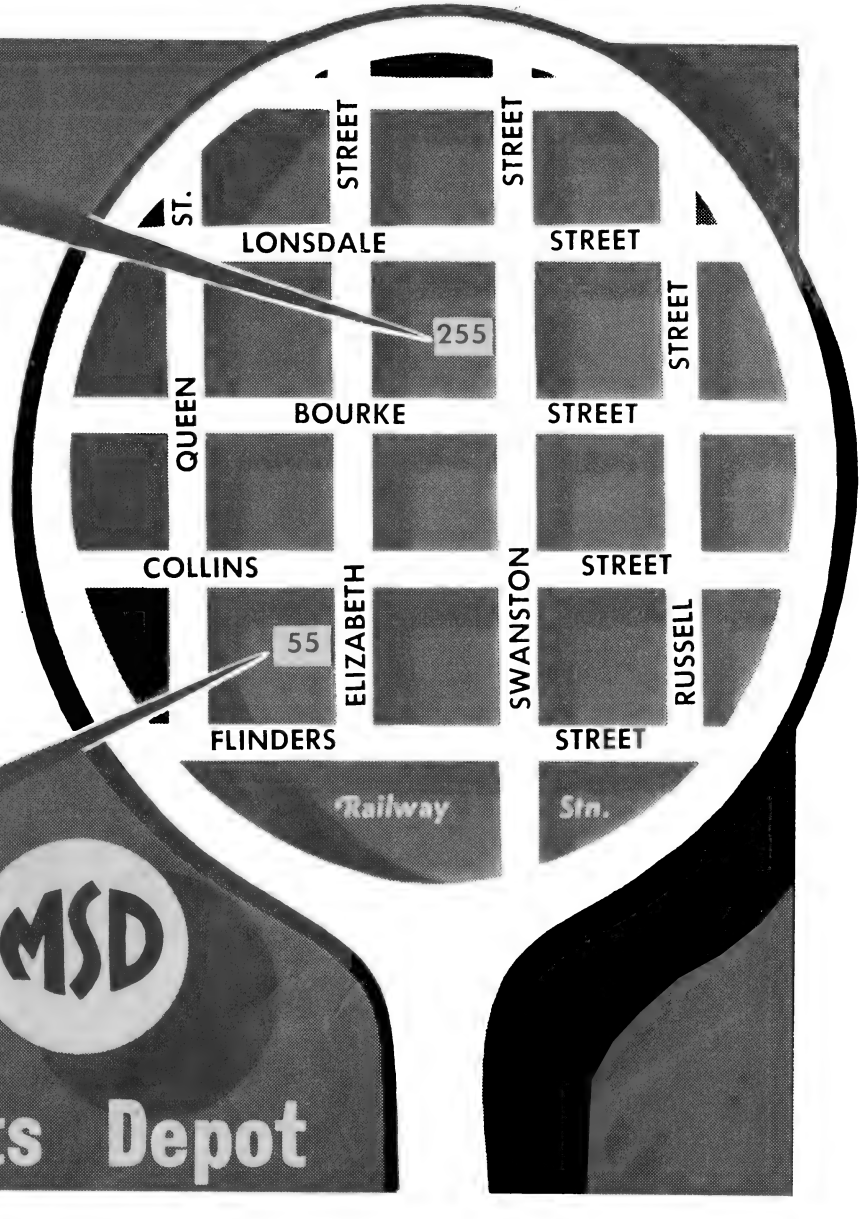

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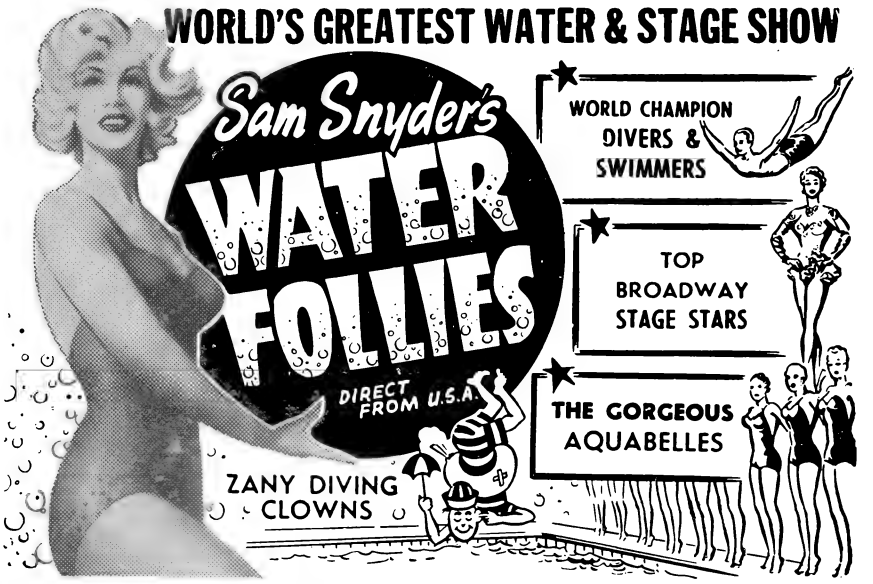

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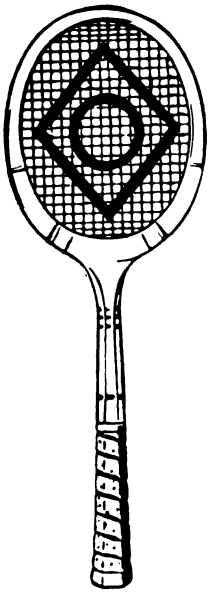

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1880 A. F. Robinson (Jan.)
1880 N. Highett (Nov.)
1881 L. Whyte
1882 L. Keyser
1883 L. Whyte
1884 H. Prind
1885 W. J. C. Riddell
1886 W. J. C. Riddell
1887 A. G. Colquhoun
1888 A. G. Colquhoun
1889 R. E. Shuter
1890 J. D. Crammond
1891 A. G. Kearney
1892 B. Green
1893 B. Green
1894 B. Green
1895 A. W. Dunlop
1896 A. G. Kearney
1897 A. G. Kearney
1898 A. W. Dunlop
1899 A. G. Kearney
1900 T. C. Irvine
1901 H. M. Rice
1902 N. E. Brookes
1903 N. E. Brookes
1904 N. E. Brookes
1905 R. W. Heath
1906 N. E. Brookes
1907 H. A. Parker
1908 A. F. Wilding
1909 A. F. Wilding
1910 S. N. Doust
1911 N. E. Brookes
1912 J. C. Parke
1913 R. W. Heath
1914 A. O'Hara-Wood
1915-1918 No competition
1919 G. L. Patterson
1920 G. L. Patterson
1921 G. L. Patterson
1922 G. L. Patterson
1923 G. L. Patterson
1924 G. L. Patterson
1925 R. E. Schlesinger
1926 G. L. Patterson
1927 G. L. Patterson
1928 J. Crawford
1929 J. Crawford
1930 J. Crawford
1931 J. Crawford
1932 J. Crawford
1933 F. J. Perry
1934 J. Crawford
1935 A. K. Quist
1936 A. K. Quist
1937 D. Budge (U.S.A.)
1938 A. K. Quist
1939 J. Bromwich
1940-1944 No competition
1945 J. Bromwich
1946 J. Bromwich
1947 W. Sidwell
1948 W. Sidwell
1949 J. Drobny
1950 F. Sedgman
1951 F. Sedgman
1952 V. Seixas (U.S.A.)
1953 L. Hoad
1954 K. Rosewall
1955 L. Hoad

WOMEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

1884 Miss Mackenzie
1885 Miss Shaw
1886 Miss C. Greene
1887 Miss Shaw
1888 Miss Mayne
1889 Miss N. a'Beckett
1890 Miss Shaw
1891 Miss Mayne
1892 Miss E. Raleigh
1893 Miss C. Peach
1894 Miss E. Raleigh
1895 Miss P. Howitt
1896 Miss P. Howitt
1897 Miss P. Howitt
1898 Miss P. Howitt
1899 Miss P. Howitt
1900 Mrs. Cater
1901 Miss L. Gyton
1902 Miss L. Gyton
1903 Miss L. Gyton
1904 Miss E. Collis
1905 Miss L. Gyton
1906 Miss L. Addison
1907 Miss L. Gyton
1908 Miss L. Addison
1909 Miss L. Addison
1910 Miss L. Addison
1911 Miss L. Addison
1912 Miss P. A. Stewart
1913 Miss M. Waxman
1914 Miss P. A. Stewart
1915-1918 No competition
1919 Mrs. Ford
1920 Mrs. Molesworth
1921 Miss L. M. Addison
1922 Miss E. Boyd
1923 Miss E. Boyd
1924 Miss D. Akhurst
1925 Miss E. Boyd
1926 Miss E. Boyd
1927 Miss E. Boyd
1928 Miss M. Cox
1929 Miss M. Cox
1930 Mrs. Crawford
1931 Mrs. A. Robertson
1932 Miss J. Hartigan
1933 Miss J. Hartigan
1934 Miss D. Round
1935 Miss T. Coyne
1936 Miss J. Hartigan
1937 Miss D. Bundy (U.S.A.)
1938 Mrs. H. Hopman
1939 Miss N. Wynne
1940-44 No competition
1945 Mrs. P. Bolton
1946 Mrs. P. Bolton
1947 Mrs. P. Bolton
1948 Miss D. Hart (U.S.A.)
1949 Mrs. P. Bolton
1950 Miss J. Fitch
1951 Mrs. T. Long
1952 Miss M. Connolly (U.S.A.)
1953 Mrs. T. Long
1954 Mrs. T. Long
1955 Mrs. M. Hawton

MEN'S DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

1880 C. Trench-A. Robinson
1881 L. Whyte-F. Highett
1882 L. Keyser-. Portman
1883 H. Brind-R. Stawell
1884 W. J. C. Riddell-W. Coldham
1885 F. Highett-W. D. Webb
1886 W. J. C. Riddell-W. Coldham
1887 A. F. Chomley-E. Raleigh
1888 N. Bayles-F. Highett
1889 B. Green-H. Officer
1890 N. Bayles-H. Bartram
1891 J. D. Crammond-O. Malcolm
1892 N. Bayles-H. Bartram
1893 B. Green-O. Malcolm
1894 B. Green-F. B. Waters
1895 A. W. Dunlop-S. F. Diddams
1896 A. W. Dunlop-S. F. Diddams
1897 A. W. Dunlop-S. F. Diddams
1898 A. W. Dunlop-S. F. Diddams
1899 T. C. Irving-S. D. Goddard
1900 N. E. Brookes-J. R. Fraser
1901 A. W. Dunlop-S. F. Diddams
1902 N. E. Brookes-J. R. Fraser
1903 E. T. Barnard-B. Spence
1904 N. E. Brookes-J. R. Fraser
1905 T. Tatchell-R. Lycett
1906 N. E. Brookes-A. F. Wilding
1907 A. W. Dunlop-R. W. Heath
1908 N. E. Brookes-A. F. Wilding
1909 N. E. Brookes-A. F. Wilding
1910 A. W. Dunlop-R. W. Heath
1911 R. W. Heath-R. Lycett
1912 N. E. Brookes-A. W. Dunlop
1913 N. E. Brookes-A. W. Dunlop
1914 A. Campbell-G. L. Patterson
1915-18 No Contests, World War 1
1919 N. E. Brookes-G. L. Patterson
1920 N. E. Brookes-G. L. Patterson
1921 G. L. Patterson-J. B. Hawkes
1922 G. L. Patterson-J. B. Hawkes
1923 G. L. Patterson-J. B. Hawkes
1924 G. L. Patterson-J. B. Hawkes
1925 P. O'Hara Wood-I. D. McInnes
1926 J. Willard-J. Crawford
1927 G. L. Patterson-J. B. Hawkes
1928 J. Crawford-H. Hopman
1929 J. Crawford-H. Hopman
1930 R. E. Schlesinger-J. Clemenger
1931 G. L. Patterson-H. Hopman
1932 H. E. Vines-K. Gledhill (U.S.A.)
1933 J. H. Crawford-H. Hopman
1934 A. K. Quist-D. P. Turnbull
1935 J. H. Crawford-H. Hopman
1936 A. K. Quist-D. P. Turnbull
1937 J. H. Crawford-V. B. McGrath
1938 A. K. Quist-J. Bromwich
1939 A. K. Quist-J. Bromwich
1940-44 No Contests, World War II
1945 J. Bromwich-A. K. Quist
1946 J. Bromwich-C. Long
1947 A. K. Quist-G. Brown
1948 G. Brown-W. Sidwell
1949 A. K. Quist-J. Bromwich
1950 F. Sedgman-K. McGregor
1951 E. Schroeder-T. Trabert (U.S.A.)
1952 F. Sedgman-K. McGregor
1953 R. Hartwig-M. Rose
1954 T. Trabert-V. Seixas (U.S.A.)
1955 L. Hoad-K. Rosewall

WOMEN'S DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

1884 Misses Riddell-Ross
1885 Misses Lydiard-Wilson
1886 Misses Mayne-Shaw
1887 Misses Shaw-M. Shaw
1888 Misses A. Chenery-Chenery
1889 Misses Raleigh-E. Raleigh
1890 Misses Chenery-E. Mackenzie
1891 Misses Mayne-Guthrie
1892 Misses Raleigh-E. Raleigh
1893 Misses Shaw-M. Shaw
1894 Misses a'Beckett-F. Waters
1895 Misses Howitt-P. Howitt
1896 Misses Howitt-P. Howitt
1897 Misses Howitt-P. Howitt
1898 Misses P. Howitt-U. Clift
1899 Misses P. Howitt-U. Clift
1900 Mrs. Cater-Miss F. Waters
1901 Misses Collis-Wilmoth
1902 Misses Parr-Payne
1903 Misses L. Gyton-Murray
1904 Misses Collis-Wilmoth
1905 Misses L. Gyton-LeNeveu
1906 Misses L. Gyton-LeNeveu
1907 Misses L. Addison-A. Watson
1908 Misses L. Gyton-LeNeveu
1909 Misses L. Addison-A. Watson
1910 Misses P. A. Stewart-K. Westmorland
1911 Misses L. Gyton-LeNeveu
1912 Misses L. Gyton-LeNeveu
1913 Misses L. Gyton-LeNeveu
1914 Misses P. Stewart - K. Westmorland
1915-18 No Contests, World War I
1919 Mrs. B. Ford (Baker)-Miss St. George
1920 Misses E. Boyd-D. Schlesinger
1921 Misses E. Boyd-D. Rendall
1922 Mrs. Lister-Miss M. Mountain
1923 Miss D. Akhurst-Miss S. Lance
1924 Mrs. R. Harper (Lance)-Miss Boyd
1925 Mrs. R. Harper-Miss Boyd
1926 Mrs. R. Harper-Miss Boyd
1927 Mrs. R. Harper-Miss Boyd
1928 Mrs. Conway (St. George) -Miss M. Cox
1929 Mrs. H. V. McKay-Miss R. E. J. Stephens
1930 Mrs. Buttsworth-Miss Hall
1931 Mrs. O'Hara Wood-Miss G. B. Toyne
1932 Mrs. Crawford (Cox)-Mrs. Buttsworth
1933 Miss Hall-Miss J. Hartigan
1934 Mrs. E. Dearman-Miss N. Lyle (G.B.)
1935 Miss A. G. Menzies-Miss N. Lewis
1936 Mrs. H. Hopman (Hall)-Miss N. Wynne
1937 Mrs. H. Hopman-Miss N. Wynne
1938 Miss T. Coyne-Miss D. Stephenson
1939 Miss T. Coyne-Miss D. Stephenson
1940-44 No Contests, World War II
1945 Mrs. N. Bolton (Wynne)-Mrs. H. Hopman
1946 Mrs. N. Bolton-Mrs. M. Long (Coyne)
1947 Mrs. N. Bolton-Mrs. M. Long
1948 Miss J. Fitch-Miss C. Proctor
1949 Mrs. N. Bolton-Mrs. M. Long
1950 Mrs. M. Hawton-Miss J. Fitch
1951 Mrs. H. Hopman-Miss B. Penrose
1952 Miss M. Connolly-Miss J. Sampson (U.S.A.)
1953 Mrs. M. Hawton-Miss B. Penrose
1954 Mrs. M. Hawton-Miss B. Penrose
1955 Miss B. Penrose-Miss M. Carter

JUNIOR BOY'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

1930 D. Thompson
1931 A. K. Quist
1932 V. B. McGrath
1933 L. A. Schwartz
1934 J. Bromwich
1935 J. Bromwich
1936 J. Bromwich
1937 M. Newcombe
1938 D. Pails
1939 D. Pails
1940-44 No Contests, World War II
1945 F. Sedgman
1946 D. Candy
1947 K. McGregor
1948 C. Wilderspin
1949 K. Rosewall
1950 K. Rosewall
1951 K. Rosewall
1952 L. Hoad
1953 J. Grinda (France)
1954 A. Cooper
1955 R. Mark

JUNIOR GIRL'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

1930 N. Chitty
1931 N. Lewis
1932 J. Hartigan
1933 Miss M. Blick
1934 N. Wynne
1935 Y. Thiemeyer
1936 M. Wilson
1937 D. Whittaker
1938 A. Burton
1939 A. Burton
1940-44 No Contests, World War II
1945 P. Parkinson
1946 S. Jackson
1947 B. Mance
1948 J. Warnock
1949 B. Penrose
1950 H. Angwin
1951 J. Staley
1952 M. Carter
1953 M. McCalman
1954 M. Hellyer
1955 M. Hellyer

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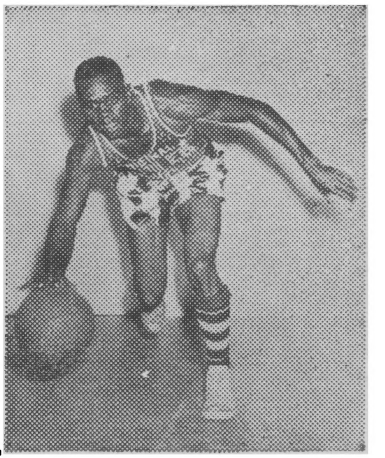

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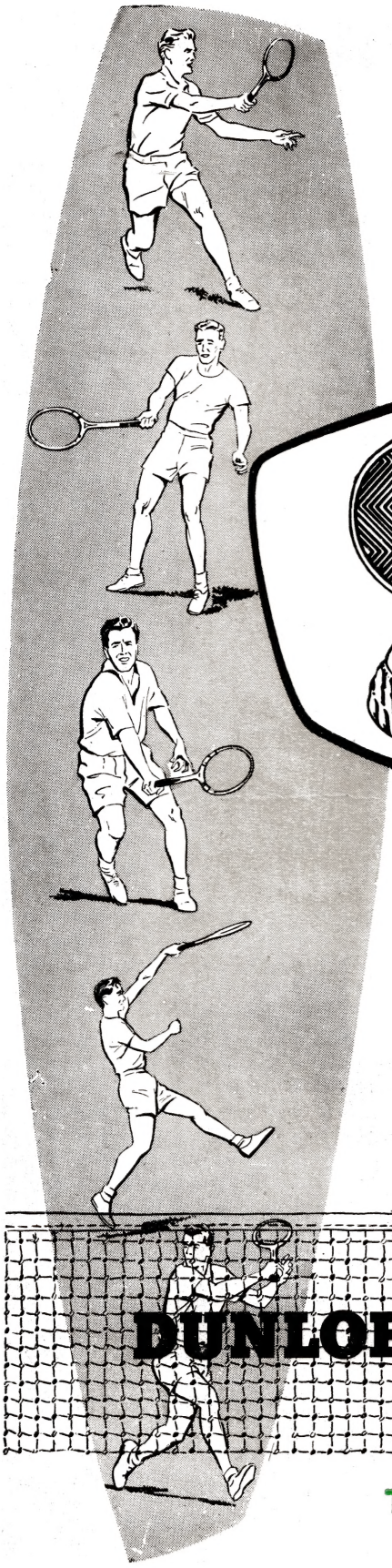

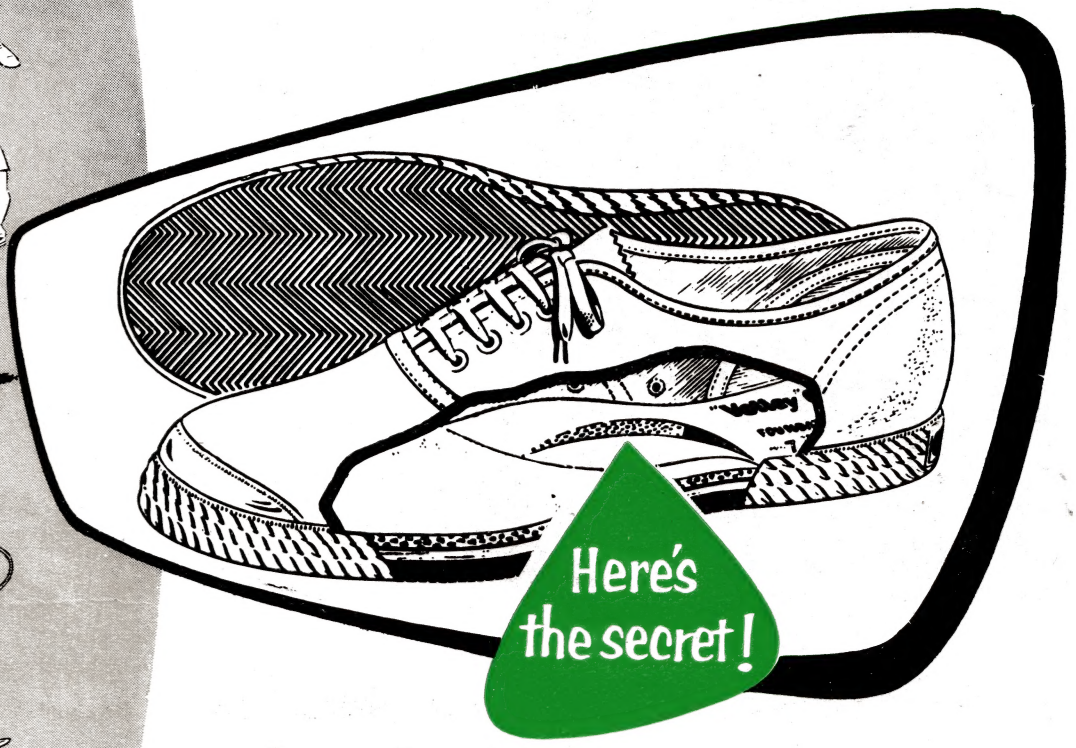

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